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- 1. BURNETTE JUNE SCHLENKER VISITED CONGEN MORNING JANUARY 8 TO REPORT REFUSAL OF GOI TO ALLOW HUSBAND HARRY REENTER ISRAEL FROM CYPRUS JANUARY 7.
- 2. MRS. SCHLENKER STATED FAMILY HAD BEEN IN JERUSALEM SINCE OCTOBER 15, 1969 IN TOURIST STATUS WHILE HUSBAND WORKED AS PRINTER FOR A.N. DUGGER OF THE MT. ZION REPORTER. LAWYER GIDEON JAPHETH HAD BEEN OBTAINING ON THEIR BEHALF THREE-MONTH EXTENSIONS OF TOURIST VISAS ONLY WITH INCREASING DIFFICULTY, SINCE GOI HAD INDICATED EACH TIME RELUCTANCE TO ALLOW FAMILY TO STAY. LAST EXTENSION GRANTED LESS THAN THREE MONTHS BEFORE FAMILY'S DEPARTURE FOR CYPRUS.
- 3. MRS. SCHLENKER REPORTED LAWYER TOLD BY MINISTRY INTERIOR OFFICIAL HUSBAND REGARDED AS MISSIONARY. SHE STATED HUSBAND PRINTED RELIGIOUS MATERIAL FOR EMPLOYER, BUT DID NOT ENGAGE PERSONALLY IN MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES. MOREOVER, HE HAD PREVIOUSLY DEPARTED AND REENTERED ISRAEL A NUMBER OF TIMES WITHOUT DIFFICULTY.

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- 4. CONGEN AGREED ACTION OF AIRPORT IMMIGRATION OFFICIAS HARSH BUT POINTED OUT GOI EXERCISING SOVEREIGN RIGHT TO DETERMINE WHO PERMITTED TO ENTER OR REMAIN IN COUNTRY.
- 5. CONGEN SUGGESTED MRS. SCHLENKER CONTACT EMBASSY TEL AVIV CONSULAR SECTION IF SHE HAD DIFFICULTY IN ASCERTAINING FROM AUTHORITIES AT AIRPORT ACTUAL WHEREABOUTS OF HUSBAND AND OFFERED HER LIST OF ATTORNEYS. SHE DECLINED LATTER, SAYING FULLY SATISFIED WITH PRESENT LEGAL COUNSEL. DAY

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